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Pastor

Rev. Brian Lorei

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Dcn. Evelio Garcia-Carreras

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Sunday Mass Schedule

Saturday — 5:00 p.m. Vigil

Sunday — 8:30 a.m.

11:00 a.m.

Weekday Masses

Mon—Sat* 9:00 a.m.

(Rosary after Mass)

*Thurs 9 a.m.

Communion Service

Confessions

Saturdays

9:30 - 10:30 a.m.

or by appointment.

Office Hours

Monday through Thursday

9:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.

Friday

9:30 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.

(Closed daily for lunch
from 1-2 p.m.)

SUNDAY AUGUST 18, 2019



20th Sunday in Ordinary Time



PARISH MISSION STATEMENT

We the people of God of St. Stephen the Martyr Catholic Church, united in One Lord, One Faith and One Baptism celebrate and are nourished and sustained by Jesus in the Holy Eucharist and in His Holy Word. Brought together by Jesus and empowered by the Holy Spirit, we fulfill His command to go into the whole world and proclaim the good news of salvation by sharing our faith through Prayer, Evangelization, and Acts of Charity.

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

Sunday August 18, 2019

8:30 a.m. People of the Parish (L)

11:00 a.m. Bob Ennis ☩

Monday August 19, 2019

9:00 a.m. Jack Kirby ☩

Tuesday August 20, 2019

9:00 a.m. Helen Turtle ☩

Wednesday August 21, 2019

9:00 a.m. Communion Service

Thursday August 22, 2019

9:00 a.m. Communion Service

Friday August 23, 2019

9:00 a.m. Communion Service

Saturday August 24, 2019

9:00 a.m. Mark Maroni ☩

5:00 p.m. Malcome & Mary Hotard ☩

Sunday August 25, 2019

8:30 a.m. People of the Parish (L)

11:00 a.m. Louis & Norman Elliot ☩

Becoming Catholic



Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults

Thinking about becoming Catholic...or completing your Sacraments? Have Questions?

If you are an adult seeking answers to questions about becoming Catholic, or are Catholic and want to receive the sacraments of Confirmation and Eucharist, we invite you to journey with us in RCIA.

Join us on Wednesdays for the inquiry presentation sessions that allow opportunities to get answers to your questions, and find out if this process is right for you.

We meet on Wednesdays in the Saint Pio Room from 7:00 pm to 8:30 pm beginning September 11, 2019.

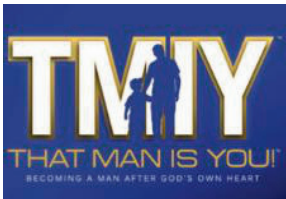
Please contact Kathy Roger for more information at 770-381-7488 ext. 222 / psr@ststephenthemartyr.info



The altar flowers this weekend were donated by

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The Fight of Faith

Fall Session Meets
Every Saturday Morning
7:30 -9:00 am
(Breakfast will be served)

Saturdays Sept. 7 - Nov. 23

(except September 28)

Featuring 10 Dynamic Presenters

Attention Men: Join us Saturday mornings. The great thing about the program is that even if you missed last year, you can still jump into the program and benefit from it.

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CONFIRMATION CLASSES

for the 2019-20 school year begin September 22.

We meet every Sunday in the St. Padre Pio room from 9:40-10:50 a.m.

If you are a parish teen in the 10th grade and are eligible to receive the Sacrament of Confirmation, please complete a registration form on the parish website or at the Information Center in the Narthex. Return it, along with a copy of a current baptismal certificate, to the Religious Ed office. For more info, contact Kathy Roger @ 770-381-7488 ext: 222.

AUGUST 18, 2019

TITHES & OFFERINGS

FREELY YOU HAVE RECEIVED. FREELY GIVE.

On-line giving is @
www.ststephenthemartyr.info

Weekend of August 11, 2019

Offertory	\$ 8,531.12
On Line	\$ 2,401.00
Total	\$ 10,932.12

*Thank you for your continued generosity.
Our weekly budgeted expenses are \$10,297.00*

Current and Upcoming Second Collections

<u>August 18</u>	Outreach—SVdP Collection after all Masses
<u>August 25</u>	No Second Collection
<u>September 1</u>	Property Maintenance & Enhancements
<u>September 8</u>	Catholic University of America

20TH WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME



Fall Kick Off is Sunday, August 25th, 6-8pm.

It will be a fun night with food and games.

All high school teens are welcome!!

For information about our Life Teen program, an information packet is available in the Narthex at the

Church Information Center or on our website,
<https://www.ststephenthemartyr.info/faith-formation/re-ym/lifeteen>



It's time for EDGE session kickoff! Wednesday, August 21st 6-7:30 pm. We'll meet in the Fellowship Hall. Prepare to get messy! Wear clothes/shoes you can get dirty/wet/messy in. Pack a spare set of clothes/bring a towel. Come hungry! We'll have 'walking tacos' & S'mores. **Parents:** your middle schoolers **MUST** be registered before the 21st in order to participate. Registration after all the Masses. Registration forms are also on the website.

BAPTISM CLASSES

Parish families who wish to have a child baptized should be registered in the parish before taking the class. Both Parents must attend the Baptism class which is usually held the second Sunday of each month at 12:00 noon in *Our Lady of Fatima* room. Please make arrangements for a babysitter as we do not provide baby-sitting services. Please contact the Parish Office at 770-381-7488 to register for the class.

Parents will need to select Godparents for their child who are active, practicing Catholics. Baptisms are scheduled only AFTER you have taken the class. Parents must be active, practicing members of St. Stephen the Martyr for at least three months before scheduling a baptism.

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REGISTRATION OPEN

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION CLASSES

PreK through 5th Grade

(Also, First Holy Communion Preparation)

Sunday Mornings: 9:40 — 10:50 am

Classes Begin Sunday August 18th

We Need Catechists And Subs for Sunday mornings

Please prayerfully consider joining
this rewarding youth ministry.
Training and support will be provided.

*If you have questions or concerns,
please contact Kathy Roger at:*

psr@sstmcc.org or 770-381-7488 ext. 222



6th, 7th, & 8th grades

Wednesday Evenings: 6:00 — 7:30 pm

Sessions Begin Wednesday, August 21st

*An information letter, registration form and
schedule of classes and events for the
upcoming school year is available in the Narthex.*

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